

AGENDA

CONNECTICUT STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR PHYSICAL THERAPISTS

Thursday, July 10, 2008, at 8:30 a.m.
Department of Public Health
410 Capitol Avenue, Hartford CT
2nd Floor, Conference Room F

CALL TO ORDER

I. MINUTES

Adoption of the minutes from May 13, 2008.

II. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH UPDATES

III. LEGAL OFFICE BUSINESS

Jay Kain, PT – Petition No. 2007-1113-014-005

Presentation of Consent Order – David Tilles, Staff Attorney, DPH

ADJOURN

The following minutes are draft minutes which are subject to revision and which have not yet been adopted by the Board.

The Connecticut State Board of Examiners for Physical Therapists held a meeting on May 13, 2008 at the Department of Public Health, 410 Capitol Avenue, Second Floor Conference Room F, Hartford, Connecticut.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Andrea O'Brien, PT
Mary Lou Sanders, MS, BSN
Lise Van Saun, PT
Sandra Worrell

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT None

The meeting commenced at 9:00 a.m.

MINUTES

The Minutes from the September 20, 2007 meeting were reviewed. Ms. Worrell made a motion, seconded by Ms. Van Saun, to adopt the minutes. The motion passed.

DPH UPDATES

Jennifer Filippone, Section Chief Office of Practitioner Licensing and Investigations, Department of Public Health provided an overview the Department's responsibilities regarding physical therapy licensure.

Ms. Filippone also discussed the upcoming annual meeting of the Federation of State Boards of Physical Therapy.

NEW BUSINESS

A. Sharon Weiselfish-Giammatteo, P.T. - Petition No. 2005-0104-014-001

Assistant Attorney General Kerry Colson was present to advise the Board regarding pending motions in this matter.

Ms. Sanders indicated that she would recuse herself from any further proceedings in this case.

Following discussion with Attorney Colson Ms. Worrell made a motion, seconded by Ms. O'Brien, to begin the hearing anew. The motion passed unanimously.

Ms. Van Saun made a motion, seconded by Ms. Worrell, to deny as moot, respondent's motion to disqualify Department of Public Health Staff Attorney Joelle Newton. The motion passed unanimously.

Ms. Worrell made a motion, seconded by Ms. Van Saun, to deny respondent's motion that Attorney Newton be subpoenaed to testify in this matter. The motion passed unanimously.

Ms. Van Saun made a motion, seconded by Ms. O'Brien, to grant the Department's respondent's to redact patient identification from respondent's October 4, 2007 objection to a motion to obtain witness testimony via telephone conference. The motion passed unanimously.

Ms. Worrell made a motion, seconded by Ms. O'Brien, to deny all other outstanding motions. The motion passed unanimously.

The Board scheduled dates for the hearing in this case:

B. Meeting Dates for 2008

The following meeting dates were scheduled for the remainder of 2008:

July 10, 2008

November 4, 2008

Meetings will be scheduled for 8:30 a.m., at the Department of Public Health 410 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 10:00 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Lou Sanders, MS, BSN
Connecticut State Board of Examiners for Physical Therapists